## **OPPOSE:**

## **Senate Bill 16**

## AN ACT ADDRESSING GUN VIOLENCE AND JUVENILE CRIME

Dear Co-Chair Winfield, Co-Chair Stafstrom, Vice Chair Flexer, Vice Chair Blumenthal, Ranking Member Kissel, Ranking Member Fishbein, and all members of the Judiciary Committee:

Thank you for this opportunity. I would respectfully ask that you oppose SB 16.

This bill would affect me personally as it infringes on my rights as a law abiding citizen and permit holder. Expanding the list to ban "other" firearms, stabilizing braces, and transfer/sale of 2022 firearms within the state would be detrimental to law abiding permit holders.

The overwhelming majority of all gun crimes in the state are committed by prohibited persons who are not lawfully permitted to possess a firearm. The Governor spoke not just about his abhorrence of illegal firearms in this state but legal as well, demonstrating his indifference between criminals and law abiding gun owners.

Please also **OPPOSE** H.B. No. 5416

Please SUPPORT the following bills: S.B. No. 388, H.B. No. 5415 and H.B. No. 5412

Thank you again,

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